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Mr. Paul Tamborino
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SAN GABRIEL VALLEY CLEANUP PROGRAM - HARTWELL FACILITY, 701 W.
FOOTHILL AVE., AZUSA (FILE NO. 108.0914)

Dear Mr. Tamborino:

In a letter dated September 24, 1998, Regional Board staff asked you to implement a quarterly groundwater sampling and analysis for perchlorate, 1,4-dioxane, N-nitrosodimethylamine (NDMA) and Methyl Ter-Butyl Ether (MTBE).

The first sampling and analysis was to be conducted in November 1998, and the results reported by December 30, 1998. To date, we have not received the data from your site for the first episode. The last episode is to be conducted in February 1999, and the results reported by March 30, 1999.

Please use the lowest possible reporting limits for the four chemicals. Based on the results of those facilities that have already complied with the December 30, 1998 reporting date, the following reporting limits were achieved: 1) 4 ug/L for perchlorate; 2) 0.033 ug/L for NDMA; 3) 2 ug/L for 1,4-dioxane; and 4) 10 ug/L for MTBE.

Please submit both reports at the latest by March 30, 1999. If you have any questions, please call me at (323) 266-7534.

Sincerely,

E. G. SOLOMON
Associate Engineering Geologist

cc: Mr. Wayne Praskins, USEPA, Region IX

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